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**Advisory Action**

**Status of Amendment after final**

The response after final dated 08/30/07 has been entered.

**Status of pending claims**

See final rejection dated 08/07/07.

***Response to Arguments***

Applicant's arguments filed 08/30/07 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive. See below.

In response to the applicant's arguments in the paragraphs on pages 3 and 4 of the response dated 08/30/07, it is submitted that epoxy 55 of Vriens et al. constitutes a flexible film. Further it is submitted that epoxy 55 or flexible film includes an optical element since the epoxy transmit light). Further it is submitted that epoxy 55 attached to the face of the substrate beyond the cavity (see the right or left portion at the upper corner of the cavity adjacent to the glass plate). Further it is submitted that epoxy 55 overlies the cavity (see the upper corner portion of 55 as well as the center portion of epoxy 55).

***Conclusion***

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Long Pham whose telephone number is 571-272-1714. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Frid, 10am to 5pm.

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